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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Docket Number 09/838,185-1008
Applicant(s): Ikuo SAKAGUCHI	Conf.: 1577	
Application #: 09/838,185	Filed: April 20, 2001	
Title: CARD UTILIZATION APPROVAL METHOD, CARD SETTLEMENT SYSTEM AND CARD AUTHENTICATION AND SETTLEMENT PROCESSING DEVICE		
Group Art Unit: 3628	Examiner: Siegfried Chencinski	

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated **January 13, 2006** rejecting the following claim: **8**.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$500.00

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:\$

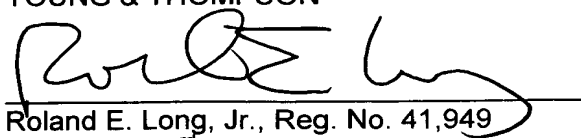
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